



Saturday 7th September 2024

Wattlesborough Village Hall

Show opens 1pm

SHOW RULES

- All exhibits must be grown or made by the exhibitor
- Exhibitors may enter no more than three items in each class
- Entries are accepted on the day but if possible please submit your entry form by the Thursday before the show
- Exhibits must be staged between 9am and 11am
- Entry charge 50p for all classes except those limited to child entrants
- All children's entries must have the age of the entrant clearly marked on the exhibit
- Prize money : 1st — £2.50, 2nd — £2, 3rd — £1.50
- Cups and shields will be presented from 4pm
- All cups and shields to be held for one year
- No exhibits should be removed before 4.30pm
- Children's classes will be judged in age bands: Under 5 years, 5—8 years and 9—11 years.
- The Committee accepts no liability for loss or damage to exhibits

CUP WINNERS 2024

CHILDREN'S CLASSES	BEST IN CLASS
Aged 1-4 - Fion Williams	Vegetables - Len Bennett
Aged 5-8 - Matilda Johnston-Burt	Fruit - Peter Quinn
Children Class 4 - Matilda Johnston-Burt	Vegetables (Shingler Cup) - Peter Quinn
Children Class 5 - Freddie Ryder	Roses - Beryl Manning
	Flowers - Len Bennett
	Flower Arrangements - Jane Tully
	Handicrafts - Leigh Howard
	Needlework - Thomas Lewis
	Cookery - Anne Hilditch
	Preserves - Eileen Clifton
	Photographs - S Pain
	Agriculture - S Pain

Get ready for 2025

Wattlesborough Village Show will be held on Saturday 6th September 2025

Handicraft classes for 2025	Photography classes for 2025
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Something woven • A knitted or crochet toy • A pair of handmade slippers • An embroidered sampler • A key ring • An item made from recycled materials 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A black and white landscape • Motion • A portrait • A bird • On the farm

CHILDREN'S SECTION. Judge : Mrs Claire Jones

Get Creative

An item made from cardboard and string

The age of the entrant must be clearly shown on the exhibit.

Prize : The best in show for each age group

Fancy Dress Parade

All children attending the show are invited to come along in a homemade costume depicting a countryside character. Children will be asked to parade at 3.30pm when judges will choose their favourite characters.

Parents are asked to make show officials aware should they **not** want their children photographed during this event.

Prize : The Shingler Cup for best costume



Nature Scavenger Hunt

Find the following objects in nature and display them on a plate

- Something fuzzy
- Two types of leaves
- Two types of seeds
- Something that makes a noise
- Something straight
- Something round
- Something smooth
- Something rough
- Something you think is beautiful
- Something you think is treasure
- A stick

Prize : The FL Jones Cup for best exhibit

VEGETABLES. Judge : Mr Geoff Manley

Class 6 - 3 beetroot

Class 7 - 1 cucumber

Class 8 - 3 carrots

Class 9 - 6 french beans

Class 10 - 3 leeks

Class 11 - 9 shallots

Class 12 - 4 onions

Class 13 - 3 cobs of corn

Class 14 - Plate of stoned fruit

Class 15 - Plate of pears

Class 16 - 5 cherry tomatoes

Class 17 - 5 tomatoes

Class 18 - 4 cooking apples

Class 19 - 5 eating apples

Class 20 - An unusual shaped vegetable

Prizes :

The Holloway Cup for best in show for vegetable classes 6 to 13

Wattlesborough PTA Shield for best in show for fruit classes 14 to 19

The Shingler Cup for best in class 20

ROSES. Judge : Caroline Pryce

Prize : The Wattlesborough Trophy for best rose exhibit in show

- Class 21 - Single rose
- Class 22 - Vase of 3 roses
- Class 23 - Rose corsage

FLOWERS. Judge : Caroline Pryce

Prize : TO Tomlins Cup for best flower exhibit in show

- Class 24 - Flowering pot plant grown from seed in 2024
- Class 25 - Foliage pot plant
- Class 26 - 5 Hosta leaves
- Class 27 - Pot cactus / succulent
- Class 28 - A bunch of five herbs
- Class 29 - 3 Dahlias (any variety)
- Class 30 - A bowl of floating flower heads
- Class 31 - A vase of mixed flowers

FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS. Judge : Caroline Pryce

Prize : The FL Jones Cup for best flower arrangement in show

- Class 32 - "Hot stuff" (Maximum 15" x 15" x 15")
- Class 33 - Arrangement on a saucer (Maximum 8" x 8" x 8")
- Class 34 - "Yellow" (Maximum 10" x 10" x 10")

HANDICRAFTS. Judge : Mrs Olivia Johnston-Burt

Prizes :

The Ann Loder Memorial Cup for best handicraft exhibit in show

Shingler cup for needlework

- Class 35 - A painting or sketch
- Class 36 - A crochet item
- Class 37 - A pot holder (single or double)
- Class 38 - A hand sewn needle case
- Class 39 - An item made of cord or string
- Class 40 - A bug house

All exhibits must have been completed in the last five years

COOKERY. Judge : Mrs Mary Pryce

Prize : Cadfan Jones Cup for best in show cookery

- Class 41 - 5 cheese scones
- Class 42 - 5 date squares (to given recipe)
- Class 43 - Bara Brith
- Class 44 - A Victoria sponge
- Class 45 - An apple pie (pastry top and bottom)
- Class 46 - 5 Rice Krispie cakes
- Class 47 - 5 marzipan chocolate sweets

PRESERVES. Judge : To be confirmed

Prize : The Robinson Cup for best in show preserves

- Class 48 - A jar of soft fruit jam
- Class 49 - A jar of stone fruit jam
- Class 50 - A jar of marmalade
- Class 51 - A jar of chutney
- Class 52 - A jar of piccalilli
- Class 53 - A bottle of flavoured oil

PHOTOGRAPHY Judge : Mr Michael Howard

Prize : The Marston Cup for best photography exhibit

- Class 54 - A pet portrait
- Class 55 - Looking through
- Class 56 - A sporting moment
- Class 57 - A black and white photograph
- Class 58 - A single flower

All exhibits must have been taken in the last three years

AGRICULTURE Judge : Councilor Ed Potter (Member for Loton)

Prize : GO Davies Westbury Ltd Cup for best agriculture exhibit

- Class 59 - 6 eggs (any variety)
- Class 60 - A bowl of hedgerow fruits
- Class 61 - A small bale of hay.
- Class 62 - A silage sample (500g)
- Class 63 - Longest nettle
- Class 64 - Photography - "Shropshire hills"

FAMILY FUN DOG SHOW Judges : Julie McDonough and Lisa Sandford

Register your dog before 1pm at the village hall door

Class 65 - Waggiest tail. (Judging starts at 1.45pm)

Class 66 - Cutest dog with a decorated lead - handler aged under 13.

(Judging starts at 2pm)

Class 67 - Golden oldie (aged five or more).

(Judging starts at 2.15pm)

Class 68 - Best young handler aged under 13

(Judging starts at 2.30pm)

Class 69 - Most Fabulous Fella - Best male dog

(Judging starts at 2.45pm)

Class 70 - Loveliest Lady - Best female dog

(Judging starts at 3pm)



Please make careful note of the judging times for each class and arrive 15 minutes before your registered class

Rosettes for 1st, 2nd & 3rd place in each class.

RECIPE - Date Squares

Filling ingredients

425g dates, pitted and chopped

250 ml water

30 ml lemon juice

2 tbsp brown sugar

1/2 tsp baking soda

Crisp layer ingredients

175 g quick-cooking oats

150 g plain flour

160 g brown sugar

1/4 tsp baking powder

170 g butter, softened

Preparation

With the rack in the middle position, preheat the oven to 350 °F (180 °C). Line a 20-cm (8-inch) square baking dish with a strip of parchment paper, letting it hang over two sides. Butter the other two sides of the baking dish.

Filling

In a pot, bring the dates, water, lemon juice, and brown sugar to a boil. Add the baking soda and simmer for 5 minutes, stirring constantly with a wooden spoon, or until the dates have fallen apart. Allow to cool.

Crisp

In a bowl, combine the oats, flour, brown sugar, and baking powder. Add the butter and stir to combine.

Spread half the crisp in the baking dish and press firmly. Layer with the date mixture. Cover with the remaining crisp and press lightly. Bake for 55 minutes or until the crisp is golden brown. Let to cool on a wire rack for 4 hours. Remove from the dish and cut into 16 squares.

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Please email entries to wattlesboroughvillagehall@gmail.com
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Name:

Address:

Tel :

Email :

Class Number	Number of Entries	Entry fee	Class Number	Number of Entries	Entry fee
Total Entry Fee			Total Entry Fee		

DOG SHOW ENTRY FORM

Name of dog

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Classes to be entered

Name of second dog

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Classes to be entered

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Pilates
Wednesday
mornings and
evenings
All abilities

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Second Friday
of the month
7pm

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classes
7pm Tuesday
evenings

Friendship
Friday
Last Friday of
every month
10.30am

MARK YOUR CALENDAR
Christmas Market 16 November 2024
Village Show 6th September 2025

These are fundraising events, aimed at raising money for large upgrade projects such as the acoustic board in the main hall and refurbishment of the small hall completed this spring. Our current aim is to raise £30,000 to improve the gents and disabled toilets.

Fundraising events are organised and delivered by a small team of volunteers who are always seeking help. If you can spare **one hour a year** to help our fundraising efforts please get in touch via our website Wattlesboroughvillagehall.co.uk, our email wattlesboroughvillagehall@gmail.com or by phone 01743 884293.



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